TO: James V. Capparelli, City Manager

**FROM:** Sherrie Blackburn, Administrative Deputy Chief

**DEPARTMENT:** Police

SUBJECT:

2021 JPD Police Officer Application Kick-Off

## **PURPOSE:**

Establish an entry level police officer eligibility list.

## **FACTS:**

- a. Current eligibility list will expire May 09, 2021.
- b. Standard & Associates, Inc. will collaborate with JPD Command Staff, ensuring necessary information is current for the online application.
- c. JPD Command Staff will seek guidance from Human Resources prior to presenting the final application to the Joliet Police & Fire Board of Commissions.
- d. On-line application will begin March 1st and continue through April 1st, 2021.
- e. Various media platforms will be utilized to promote the hiring of entry level police officers including; Joliet PD webpage that will show a recruiting video, COJ electronic billboards, Facebook advertisement along with local colleges/universities.
- f. Update: 111 applications paid for and 35 applications submitted.